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LITHIUM ION SECONDARY BATTERY AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THEREOF

### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97

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SIR:

Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

## REFERENCES

- The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
- ☐ A check is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

#### **RELATED CASES**

- Attached is a list of applicant's pending application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application.
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#### **CERTIFICATION**

- ☐ Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.
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#### **PETITION**

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# **LIST OF RELATED CASES**

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0057-2209-0*	08/984,185	12/03/97	PENDING
0057-2491-2 PCT	09/341,667	07/19/99	PENDING
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<sup>\*</sup>Present application; listed for information.